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To impose additional sanctions with respect to Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. ROYCE of California (for himself and Mr. ENGEL) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on

A BILL

To impose additional sanctions with respect to Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps, and for other purposes.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Iranian Revolutionary
- 5 Guard Corps Economic Exclusion Act".

| 1 | SEC. 2. ADDITIONAL SANCTIONS WITH RESPECT TO FOR- |
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| 2 | EIGN PERSONS THAT ARE OFFICIALS, |
| 3 | AGENTS, OR AFFILIATES OF, OR OWNED OR |
| 4 | CONTROLLED BY, IRAN'S REVOLUTIONARY |
| 5 | GUARD CORPS. |
| 6 | (a) In General.—Section 301(a) of the Iran Threat |
| 7 | Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012 (22 |
| 8 | U.S.C. 8741(a)) is amended— |
| 9 | (1) in the matter preceding paragraph (1), by |
| 10 | striking "Not later than 90 days after the date of |
| 11 | the enactment of this Act, and as appropriate there- |
| 12 | after," and inserting "Not later than 180 days after |
| 13 | the date of the enactment of the Iranian Revolu- |
| 14 | tionary Guard Corps Economic Exclusion Act, and |
| 15 | every 180 days thereafter,"; |
| 16 | (2) in paragraph (1)— |
| 17 | (A) by inserting ", or owned or controlled |
| 18 | by," after "affiliates of"; and |
| 19 | (B) by striking "and" at the end; |
| 20 | (3) in paragraph (2), by striking the period at |
| 21 | the end and inserting "; and"; and |
| 22 | (4) by adding at the end the following: |
| 23 | "(3) identify foreign persons with respect to |
| 24 | which there is a reasonable basis to determine that |
| 25 | the foreign persons have, directly or indirectly, con- |
| 26 | ducted one or more sensitive transactions or activi- |

| 1 | ties described in subsection (c) for or on behalf of |
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| 2 | a foreign person described in paragraph (1).". |
| 3 | (b) Authorization; Priority for Investigation; |
| 4 | REPORTS.—Section 301(b) of the Iran Threat Reduction |
| 5 | and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012 (22 U.S.C. 8741(b)) |
| 6 | is amended to read as follows: |
| 7 | "(b) Authorization; Priority for Investiga- |
| 8 | TION; REPORTS.— |
| 9 | "(1) AUTHORIZATION.—In identifying foreign |
| 10 | persons pursuant to subsection (a)(1) as officials, |
| 11 | agents, or affiliates of Iran's Revolutionary Guard |
| 12 | Corps, the President is authorized to identify foreign |
| 13 | persons in which Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps |
| 14 | has an ownership interest in such foreign person of |
| 15 | less than 50 percent. |
| 16 | "(2) Priority for investigation.—In identi- |
| 17 | fying foreign persons pursuant to subsection (a)(1) |
| 18 | as officials, agents, or affiliates of Iran's Revolu- |
| 19 | tionary Guard Corps, the President shall inves- |
| 20 | tigate— |
| 21 | "(A) foreign persons or entities identified |
| 22 | under section 560.304 of title 31, Code of Fed- |
| 23 | eral Regulations (relating to the definition of |
| 24 | the Government of Iran); and |

| 1 | "(B) foreign persons for which there is a |
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| 2 | reasonable basis to find that the person has |
| 3 | conducted or attempted to conduct one or more |
| 4 | sensitive transactions or activities described in |
| 5 | subsection (c). |
| 6 | "(3) Report.— |
| 7 | "(A) DETERMINATION.— |
| 8 | "(i) In General.—The President |
| 9 | shall determine whether each foreign per- |
| 10 | son on the list described in clause (ii) is a |
| 11 | foreign person that is owned or controlled |
| 12 | by Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps. |
| 13 | "(ii) LIST.—The list of foreign per- |
| 14 | sons described in this clause are the fol- |
| 15 | lowing: |
| 16 | ``(I) The Telecommunication |
| 17 | Company of Iran. |
| 18 | "(II) The Mobile Telecommuni- |
| 19 | cation Company of Iran (MTCI). |
| 20 | "(III) The Calcimin Public Com- |
| 21 | pany. |
| 22 | "(IV) The Iran Tractor Manufac- |
| 23 | turing Company of Iran. |
| 24 | "(V) The Iran Tractor Motors |
| 25 | Manufacturing Company. |

| 1 | "(VI) The Iran Zinc Mines De- |
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| 2 | velopment Company. |
| 3 | "(VII) The National Iranian |
| 4 | Lead and Zinc Company. |
| 5 | "(VIII) Iran Mineral Products |
| 6 | Company. |
| 7 | "(IX) Tosee Energy Paivaran |
| 8 | Company. |
| 9 | "(B) Report.— |
| 10 | "(i) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 |
| 11 | days after the date of the enactment of |
| 12 | this subsection, the President shall submit |
| 13 | to the appropriate congressional commit- |
| 14 | tees a report on the determinations made |
| 15 | under subparagraph (A) together with the |
| 16 | reasons for those determinations. |
| 17 | "(ii) FORM.—A report submitted |
| 18 | under clause (i) shall be submitted in un- |
| 19 | classified form but may contain a classified |
| 20 | annex. |
| 21 | "(4) Additional report.— |
| 22 | "(A) In general.—Not later than 180 |
| 23 | days after the date of the enactment of this |
| 24 | subsection, the President shall submit to the |
| 25 | appropriate congressional committees a report |

| 1 | that includes a detailed list of foreign persons |
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| 2 | for which there is a reasonable basis to deter- |
| 3 | mine that Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps |
| 4 | has an ownership interest in such foreign per- |
| 5 | son of not less than 33 percent. |
| 6 | "(B) FORM.—The report required under |
| 7 | subparagraph (A) shall be submitted in unclas- |
| 8 | sified form but may contain a classified |
| 9 | annex.". |
| 10 | (c) Sensitive Transactions and Activities De- |
| 11 | SCRIBED.—Section 301(c) of the Iran Threat Reduction |
| 12 | and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012 (22 U.S.C. 8741(c)) |
| 13 | is amended— |
| 14 | (1) in paragraph (1)— |
| 15 | (A) by striking "\$1,000,000" and inserting |
| 16 | "\$500,000"; and |
| 17 | (B) by inserting "Iranian financial institu- |
| 18 | tion or" after "involving a"; |
| 19 | (2) by redesignating paragraphs (3), (4), and |
| 20 | (5) as paragraphs (6), (7), and (8), respectively; and |
| 21 | (3) by inserting after paragraph (2) the fol- |
| 22 | lowing new paragraphs: |
| 23 | "(3) a transaction to provide material support |
| 24 | for an organization designated as a foreign terrorist |
| 25 | arganization under section 219(a) of the Immiora- |

| 1 | tion and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1189(a)) or sup- |
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| 2 | port for an act of international terrorism (as defined |
| 3 | in section 14 of the Iran Sanctions Act of 1996 |
| 4 | (Public Law 104–172; 50 U.S.C. 1701 note)); |
| 5 | "(4) a transaction to provide material support |
| 6 | to a foreign person whose property and access to |
| 7 | property has been blocked pursuant to Executive |
| 8 | Order 13224 (September 23, 2001; relating to |
| . 9 | blocking property and prohibiting transactions with |
| 10 | persons who commit, threaten to commit, or support |
| 11 | terrorism); |
| 12 | "(5) a transaction to provide material support |
| 13 | for— |
| 14 | "(A) the Government of Syria or any agen- |
| 15 | cy or instrumentality thereof; or |
| 16 | "(B) any entity owned or controlled by the |
| 17 | Government of Syria, including for purposes of |
| 18 | post-conflict reconstruction;". |
| 19 | (d) WAIVER OF IMPOSITION OF SANCTIONS.—Section |
| 20 | 301(e) of the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human |
| 21 | Rights Act of 2012 (22 U.S.C. 8741(e)) is amended— |
| 22 | (1) in paragraph (1)— |
| 23 | (A) by striking "(A) determines" and in- |
| 24 | serting "(A)(i) determines"; |

| 1 | (B) by striking "(B) submits" and insert- |
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| 2 | ing "(ii) submits"; |
| 3 | (C) by striking "(i) identifies" and insert- |
| 4 | ing "(I) identifies"; |
| 5 | (D) by striking "(ii) sets" and inserting |
| 6 | "(II) sets"; |
| 7 | (E) by striking the period at the end and |
| 8 | inserting "; and; and |
| 9 | (F) by adding at the end the following: |
| 10 | "(B) with respect to a foreign person iden- |
| 11 | tified by reason of having conducted or at- |
| 12 | tempted to conduct one or more sensitive trans- |
| 13 | actions or activities described in subsection |
| 14 | (c)(5), also certifies to the appropriate congres- |
| 15 | sional committees that Iran's Revolutionary |
| 16 | Guard Corps is significantly decreasing provi- |
| 17 | sion of direct or indirect material support to the |
| 18 | Government of Syria or Hezbollah's operations |
| 19 | in Syria."; and |
| 20 | (2) in paragraph (2), by striking "paragraph |
| 21 | (1)(B)" and inserting "paragraph (1)(A)(ii)". |
| 22 | (e) Regulations, Implementation, Penalties, |
| 23 | AND DEFINITIONS.—Section 301 of the Iran Threat Re- |
| 24 | duction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012 (22 U.S.C. |
| 25 | 8741) is amended— |

| 1 | (1) by redesignating subsection (f) as sub- |
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| 2 | section (h); and |
| 3 | (2) by inserting after subsection (e) the fol- |
| 4 | lowing new subsections: |
| 5 | "(f) Penalties.—A person that violates, attempts to |
| 6 | violate, conspires to violate, or causes a violation of sub- |
| 7 | section (a) or any regulation, license, or order issued to |
| 8 | carry out subsection (a) shall be subject to the penalties |
| 9 | set forth in subsections (b) and (c) of section 206 of the |
| 10 | International Emergency Economic Powers Act (50 |
| 11 | U.S.C. 1705) to the same extent as a person that commits |
| 12 | an unlawful act described in subsection (a) of that section. |
| 13 | "(g) Definitions.—In this section: |
| 14 | "(1) Foreign person.—The term 'foreign per- |
| 15 | son' means— |
| 16 | "(A) an individual who is not a United |
| 17 | States person; |
| 18 | "(B) a corporation, partnership, or other |
| 19 | nongovernmental entity which is not a United |
| 20 | States person; or |
| 21 | "(C) any representative, agent or instru- |
| 22 | mentality of, or an individual working on behalf |
| 23 | of a foreign government which is not a United |
| 24 | States person. |

| 1 | "(2) Iran's revolutionary guard corps.— |
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| 2 | The term 'Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps' in- |
| 3 | cludes any senior foreign political figure (as defined |
| 4 | in section 1010.605 of title 31, Code of Federal |
| 5 | Regulations) of Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps. |
| 6 | "(3) UNITED STATES PERSON.—The term |
| 7 | 'United States person' means— |
| 8 | "(A) a United States citizen or an alien |
| 9 | lawfully admitted for permanent residence to |
| 10 | the United States; or |
| 11 | "(B) an entity organized under the laws of |
| 12 | the United States or of any jurisdiction within |
| 13 | the United States, including a foreign branch of |
| 14 | such an entity.". |
| 15 | (f) Conforming and Clerical Amendments.— |
| 16 | The Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act |
| 17 | of 2012 (22 U.S.C. 8701 et seq.) is amended— |
| 18 | (1) by striking the heading of section 301 and |
| 19 | inserting the following: |

| 1 | "SEC. 301. IDENTIFICATION OF, AND IMPOSITION OF SANC- |
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| 2 | TIONS WITH RESPECT TO, FOREIGN PERSONS |
| 3 | THAT ARE OFFICIALS, AGENTS OR AFFILI- |
| 4 | ATES OF, OR OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY, |
| 5 | IRAN'S REVOLUTIONARY GUARD CORPS."; and |
| 6 | (2) in the table of contents, by striking the item |
| 7 | relating to section 301 and inserting the following: |
| | "Sec. 301. Identification of, and imposition of sanctions with respect to, foreign persons that are officials, agents or affiliates of, or owned or controlled by, Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps.". |
| 8 | (g) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by |
| 9 | this section take effect on the date of the enactment of |
| 10 | this Act and apply with respect to conduct described in |
| 11 | paragraph (3) of section 301(a) of the Iran Threat Reduc- |
| 12 | tion and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012, as added by |
| 13 | this section, engaged in on or after such date of enact- |
| 14 | ment. |
| 15 | SEC. 3. ADDITIONAL SANCTIONS WITH RESPECT TO FOR- |
| 16 | EIGN PERSONS THAT SUPPORT OR CONDUCT |
| 17 | CERTAIN TRANSACTIONS WITH IRAN'S REVO- |
| 18 | LUTIONARY GUARD CORPS OR OTHER SANC- |
| 19 | TIONED PERSONS. |
| 20 | (a) IDENTIFICATION.—Section 302(a)(1) of the Iran |
| 21 | Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012 |
| 22 | (22 U.S.C. 8742(a)(1))— |
| 23 | (1) in subparagraph (B)— |

| 1 | (A) by inserting ", or provide significant |
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| 2 | financial services to," after "transactions with"; |
| 3 | and |
| 4 | (B) by striking "or" at the end; |
| 5 | (2) in subparagraph (C)— |
| 6 | (A) in the matter preceding clause (i), by |
| 7 | inserting ", provide significant financial services |
| 8 | to , or provide material support to" after |
| 9 | "transactions with"; |
| 10 | (B) in clause (i), by striking "or" at the |
| 11 | end; |
| 12 | (C) by striking clause (ii) and inserting the |
| 13 | following: |
| 14 | "(ii) an Iranian person or entity des- |
| 15 | ignated as foreign terrorist organizations |
| 16 | under section 219(a) of the Immigration |
| 17 | and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1189(a)) or |
| 18 | that has provided support for an act of |
| 19 | international terrorism (as defined in sec- |
| 20 | tion 14 of the Iran Sanctions Act of 1996 |
| 21 | (Public Law 104–172; 50 U.S.C. 1701 |
| 22 | note)); |
| 23 | "(iii) an Iranian person whose prop- |
| 24 | erty and access to property has been |
| 25 | blocked pursuant to Executive Order |

| 1 | 13224 (September 23, 2001; relating to |
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| 2 | blocking property and prohibiting trans- |
| 3 | actions with persons who commit, threaten |
| 4 | to commit, or support terrorism); |
| 5 | "(iv) an Iranian person whose prop- |
| 6 | erty and access to property has been |
| 7 | blocked pursuant to— |
| 8 | "(I) Executive Order 13608 |
| 9 | (May 1, 2012), relating to Prohibiting |
| 10 | Certain Transactions with and Sus- |
| 11 | pending Entry Into the United States |
| 12 | of Foreign Sanctions Evaders with |
| 13 | Respect to Iran and Syria; |
| 14 | "(II) Executive Order 13606 |
| 15 | (April 23, 2012), relating to Blocking |
| 16 | the Property and Suspending Entry |
| 17 | Into the United States of Certain Per- |
| 18 | sons With Respect to Grave Human |
| 19 | Rights Abuses by the Governments of |
| 20 | Iran and Syria via Information Tech- |
| 21 | nology; |
| 22 | "(III) Executive Order 13582 |
| 23 | (August 18, 2011), relating to Block- |
| 24 | ing Property of the Government of |

| 1 | Syria and Prohibiting Certain Trans- |
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| 2 | actions with Respect to Syria; |
| 3 | "(IV) Executive Order 13573 |
| 4 | (May 18, 2011), relating to Blocking |
| 5 | Property of Senior Officials of the |
| 6 | Government of Syria; |
| 7 | "(V) Executive Order 13572 |
| 8 | (April 29, 2011), relating to Blocking |
| 9 | Property of Certain Persons with Re- |
| 10 | spect to Human Rights Abuses in |
| 11 | Syria; |
| 12 | "(VI) Executive Order 13460 |
| 13 | (February 15, 2008), relating to |
| 14 | Blocking Property of Additional Per- |
| 15 | sons in Connection with the National |
| 16 | Emergency with Respect to Syria; |
| 17 | "(VII) Executive Order 13399 |
| 18 | (April 26, 2006), relating to Blocking |
| 19 | Property of Additional Persons in |
| 20 | Connection with the National Emer- |
| 21 | gency with Respect to Syria; |
| 22 | "(VIII) Executive Order 13338 |
| 23 | (May 12, 2004), relating to Blocking |
| 24 | Property of Certain Persons and Pro- |

| 1 | hibiting the Export of Certain Goods |
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| 2 | to Syria; or |
| 3 | "(IX) any other Executive order |
| 4 | adopted on or after the date of the en- |
| 5 | actment of the Iranian Revolutionary |
| 6 | Guard Corps Economic Exclusion Act, |
| 7 | to the extent that such Executive |
| 8 | order imposes sanctions with respect |
| 9 | to Syria; or |
| 10 | "(v) a person acting on behalf of or at |
| 11 | the direction of, or owned or controlled by, |
| 12 | a person described in clauses (i) through |
| 13 | (iv).". |
| 14 | (b) Imposition of Sanctions.—Section 302(b) of |
| 15 | the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act |
| 16 | of 2012 (22 U.S.C. 8742(b)) is amended by striking "the |
| 17 | President—" and all that follows and inserting "the Presi- |
| 18 | dent shall block and prohibit all transactions in property |
| 19 | and interests in property with respect to such foreign per- |
| 20 | son if such property and interests in property are in the |
| 21 | United States, come within the United States, or are or |
| 22 | come within the possession or control of a United States |
| 23 | person.". |

| 1 | (c) Waiver of Imposition of Sanctions.—Section |
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| 2 | 302(d) of the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human |
| 3 | Rights Act of 2012 (22 U.S.C. 8742(d)) is amended— |
| 4 | (1) in paragraph (1)— |
| 5 | (A) by striking "(A)(i) determines" and in- |
| 6 | serting "(A)(i)(I) determines"; |
| 7 | (B) by striking "(ii) determines" and in- |
| 8 | serting "(II) determines"; |
| 9 | (C) by striking "(B) submits" and insert- |
| 10 | ing "(ii) submits"; |
| 11 | (D) by striking "(i) identifies" and insert- |
| 12 | ing "(I) identifies"; |
| 13 | (E) by striking "(ii) describes" and insert- |
| 14 | ing "(II) describes"; |
| 15 | (F) by striking "(iii) sets forth" and in- |
| 16 | serting "(III) sets forth" |
| 17 | (G) by striking the period at the end and |
| 18 | inserting "and"; and |
| 19 | (H) by adding at the end the following: |
| 20 | "(B) with respect to a foreign person iden- |
| 21 | tified by reason of having engaged in a signifi- |
| 22 | cant transaction or transactions described in |
| 23 | subsection (a)(1)(C)(iv), also certifies to the ap- |
| 24 | propriate congressional committees that Iran's |
| 25 | Revolutionary Guard Corps is significantly de- |

| 1 | creasing provision of direct or indirect material |
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| 2 | support to the Government of Syria or |
| 3 | Hezbollah's operations in Syria."; and |
| 4 | (2) in paragraph (2), by striking "paragraph |
| 5 | (1)(B)" and inserting "paragraph (1)(A)(ii)". |
| 6 | (d) Waiver of Identifications and Designa- |
| 7 | TIONS.—Section 302(e) of the Iran Threat Reduction and |
| 8 | Syria Human Rights Act of 2012 (22 U.S.C. 8742(e)) is |
| 9 | amended— |
| 10 | (1) by striking "and subject to paragraph (2)"; |
| 11 | (2) by striking "(1) determines" and inserting |
| 12 | "(1)(A) determines"; |
| 13 | (3) by striking "(2) notifies" and inserting "(B) |
| 14 | notifies"; |
| 15 | (4) by striking the period at the end and insert- |
| 16 | ing "; and; and |
| 17 | (5) by adding at the end the following: |
| 18 | "(2) with respect to a foreign person identified |
| 19 | by reason of having engaged in a significant trans- |
| 20 | action or transactions described in subsection |
| 21 | (a)(1)(C)(iv), also certifies to the appropriate con- |
| 22 | gressional committees that Iran's Revolutionary |
| 23 | Guard Corps is significantly decreasing provision of |
| 24 | direct or indirect material support to the Govern- |
| 25 | ment of Syria or Hezbollah's operations in Syria.". |

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| 1 | (e) Effective Date.—The amendments made by |
| 2 | this section take effect on the date of the enactment of |
| 3 | this Act and apply with respect to conduct described in |
| 4 | subparagraphs (B), (C), and (D) of section 302(a)(1) of |
| 5 | the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act |
| 6 | of 2012, as added by this section, engaged in on or after |
| 7 | such date of enactment. |
| 8 | SEC. 4. REPORTS ON CERTAIN IRANIAN PERSONS. |
| 9 | (a) STATEMENT OF POLICY.—It shall be the policy |
| 10 | of the United States to fully implement and enforce sanc- |
| 11 | tions against Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps, including |
| 12 | its officials, agents, and affiliates. |
| 13 | (b) In General.—Subtitle B of title III of the Iran |
| 14 | Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012 |
| 15 | (Public Law 112–158; 126 Stat. 1247) is amended by |
| 16 | adding at the end the following: |
| 17 | "SEC. 313. REPORT ON CERTAIN IRANIAN PERSONS. |
| 18 | "(a) In General.—Not later than 180 days after |
| 19 | the date of the enactment of this section, and annually |
| 20 | thereafter for a period not to exceed two years, the Presi- |
| 21 | dent shall submit to the appropriate congressional com- |
| 22 | mittees a report that contains the following: |
| 23 | "(1) A list of foreign persons listed on the |
| 04 | Tehran Stock Exchange and with respect to each |

such foreign person, a determination of whether or

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| 1 | not Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps or any foreign |
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| 2 | persons that are officials, agents, or affiliates of |
| 3 | Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps, directly or indi- |
| 4 | rectly, owns or controls the foreign person. |
| 5 | "(2) A list of foreign persons that are operating |
| 6 | business enterprises in Iran that have a valuation of |
| 7 | more than \$100,000,000 in Iran and, with respect |
| 8 | to each such foreign person, a determination of |
| 9 | whether or not Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps or |
| 10 , | any foreign persons that are officials, agents, or af- |
| 11 | filiates of Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps, directly |
| 12 | or indirectly owns or controls the foreign person. |
| 13 | "(3) A list of Iranian financial institutions that |
| 14 | have a valuation of more than \$10,000,000 and, |
| 15 | with respect to each such Iranian financial institu- |
| 16 | tion, a determination of whether or not— |
| 17 | "(A) the institution has knowingly facili- |
| 18 | tated a significant transaction directly or indi- |
| 19 | rectly for, or on behalf of, Iran's Revolutionary |
| 20 | Guard Corps during the 2-year period begin- |
| 21 | ning on the date of the enactment of this sec- |
| 22 | tion; or |
| 23 | "(B) Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps or |
| 24 | any foreign persons that are officials, agents, or |
| 25 | affiliates of Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps, |

| 1 | directly or indirectly, owns or controls the insti- |
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| 2 | tution. |
| 3 | "(b) Form of Report; Public Availability.— |
| 4 | "(1) FORM.—The report required by paragraph |
| 5 | (1) shall be submitted in unclassified form but may |
| 6 | contain a classified annex. |
| 7 | "(2) Public availability.—The unclassified |
| 8 | portion of the report required by paragraph (1) shall |
| 9 | be posted on a publicly-available Internet website of |
| 10 | the Department of the Treasury and a publicly-avail- |
| 11 | able Internet website of the Department of State. |
| 12 | "(c) Definitions.—In this section: |
| 13 | "(1) Foreign person.—The term 'foreign per- |
| 14 | son' means— |
| 15 | "(A) an individual who is not a United |
| 16 | States person; |
| 17 | "(B) a corporation, partnership, or other |
| 18 | nongovernmental entity which is not a United |
| 19 | States person; or |
| 20 | "(C) any representative, agent or instru- |
| 21 | mentality of, or an individual working on behalf |
| 22 | of a fòreign government. |
| 23 | "(2) Iran's revolutionary guard corps.— |
| 24 | The term 'Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps' in- |
| 25 | cludes any senior foreign political figure (as defined |

| 1 | in section 1010.605 of title 31, Code of Federal |
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| 2 | Regulations) of Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps. |
| 3 | "(3) Iranian financial institution.—The |
| 4 | term 'Iranian financial institution' means— |
| 5 | "(A) a financial institution organized |
| 6 | under the laws of Iran or any jurisdiction with- |
| 7 | in Iran, including a foreign branch of such an |
| 8 | institution; |
| 9 | "(B) a financial institution located in Iran; |
| 10 | "(C) a financial institution, wherever lo- |
| 11 | cated, owned or controlled by the Government |
| 12 | of Iran; or |
| 13 | "(D) a financial institution, wherever lo- |
| 14 | cated, owned or controlled by a financial insti- |
| 15 | tution described in subparagraph (A), (B), or |
| 16 | (C). |
| 17 | "(4) Significant transaction.—A trans- |
| 18 | action shall be determined to be a 'significant trans- |
| 19 | action' in accordance with section 561.404 of title |
| 20 | 31, Code of Federal Regulations. |
| 21 | "(5) United states person.—The term |
| 22 | 'United States person' means— |
| 23 | "(A) a United States citizen or an alien |
| 24 | lawfully admitted for permanent residence to |
| 25 | the United States; or |

| 1 | "(B) an entity organized under the laws of |
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| 2 | the United States or of any jurisdiction within |
| 3 | the United States, including a foreign branch of |
| 4 | such an entity. |
| 5 | "SEC. 314. REPORT ON THE FOREIGN SUPPLY CHAIN AND |
| 6 | DOMESTIC SUPPLY CHAIN INSIDE AND OUT- |
| 7 | SIDE OF IRAN THAT AIDS IRAN'S REVOLU- |
| 8 | TIONARY GUARD CORPS. |
| 9 | "(a) In General.—Not later than 180 days after |
| 10 | the date of enactment of this section, the President shall |
| 11 | submit to the appropriate congressional committees a re- |
| 12 | port on the foreign supply chain and domestic supply |
| 13 | chain inside and outside of Iran that directly or indirectly |
| 14 | significantly facilitates, supports, or otherwise aids Iran's |
| 15 | Revolutionary Guard Corps. |
| 16 | "(b) Matters to Be Included.—The report re- |
| 17 | quired under subsection (a) shall include the following: |
| 18 | "(1) An analysis of the foreign supply chain |
| 19 | and domestic supply chain described in subsection |
| 20 | (a). |
| 21 | "(2) Persons and entities that conduct both pri- |
| 22 | mary activities and support activities for the Iran's |
| 23 | Revolutionary Guards Corps. |

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"(3) A description of the geographic distribu-

| 2 | tion of the foreign supply chain and domestic supply |
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| 3 | chain described in subsection (a). |
| 4 | "(c) FORM.—The report required under subsection |
| 5 | (a) shall be submitted in unclassified form but may con- |
| 6 | tain a classified annex. |
| 7 | "(d) Definition.—In this section, the term 'appro- |
| 8 | priate congressional committees' means— |
| 9 | "(1) the Committee on Foreign Affairs and the |
| 10 | Committee on Financial Services of the House of |
| 11 | Representatives; and |
| 12 | "(2) the Committee on Foreign Relations and |
| 13 | the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Af- |
| 14 | fairs of the Senate.". |
| 15 | (c) Clerical Amendment.—The table of contents |
| 16 | for the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights |
| 17 | Act of 2012 is amended by inserting after the item relat- |
| 18 | ing to section 312 the following: |
| | "Sec. 313. Report on certain Iranian persons. "Sec. 314. Report on the foreign supply chain and domestic supply chain inside and outside of Iran that aids Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps.". |
| 19 | SEC. 5. APPLICATION OF SANCTIONS REGARDING MAHAN |
| 20 | AIR. |
| 21 | (a) In General.—Subtitle B of title III of the Iran |
| 22 | Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights Act of 2012 |
| 23 | (Public Law 112–158; 126 Stat. 1247), as amended by |
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| 1 | section 2 of this Act, is further amended by adding at the |
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| 2 | end the following: |
| 3 | "SEC. 315. APPLICATION OF SANCTIONS REGARDING |
| 4 | MAHAN AIR. |
| 5 | "(a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds the following: |
| 6 | "(1) Mahan Air was added on October 12, |
| 7 | 2011, to the Specially Designated Nationals list |
| 8 | maintained by the Office of Foreign Assets Control |
| 9 | of the Department of the Treasury, freezing its as- |
| 10 | sets under United States jurisdiction and prohibiting |
| 11 | transactions with United States parties, pursuant to |
| 12 | Executive Order 13224 (September 23, 2001; relat- |
| 13 | ing to blocking property and prohibiting transactions |
| 14 | with persons who commit, threaten to commit, or |
| 15 | support terrorism), which targets terrorists and their |
| 16 | supporters. |
| 17 | "(2) Executive Order 13224 imposes sanctions |
| 18 | on persons that 'assist in, sponsor, or provide finan- |
| 19 | cial, material, or technological support for, or finan- |
| 20 | cial or other services to or in support of, such acts |
| 21 | of terrorism or those persons listed in the Annex to |
| 22 | this order or determined to be subject to this order'. |
| 23 | "(3) In announcing additional sanctions against |
| 24 | Mahan Air on March 24, 2016, the Department of |
| 25 | the Treasury stated that 'Rased in Tehran Iran |

Mahan Air has facilitated [Islamic Revolutionary 1 2 Guards Corps – Qods Force transportation and arms and funds shipments. Mahan Air also con-3 tinues to support the Iranian government's desta-4 bilizing actions in the region by conducting flights to 5 Syria in order to transport fighters. Mahan Air reg-6 7 ularly uses the same aircraft it flies to Syria to fly commercial passenger routes to international des-8 tinations in Europe, the Middle East, and Asia.'. 9 10 "(4) Mahan Air reportedly serves the following 11 destinations in Iran: Abadan Airport, Ahvaz International Airport, Ardabil Airport, Persian Gulf Air-12 port, Bandar Abbas International Airport, Birjand 13 14 International Airport, Bojnord International Airport, Iranshahr Airport, Isfahan International Airport, 15 Kalaleh Airport, Kerman Airport, Shahid Ashrafi 16 Esffahani Airport, Khorramabad Airport, Kish Air-17 18 Larestan International Airport, Mashhad port, International Airport, Queshm International Airport, 19 Sahahdaj Airport, Dasht-e Naz Airport, Shiraz 20 International Airport, Sirjan Airport, Tabriz Inter-21 national Airport, Tehran Imam Khomeini Inter-22 national Airport, Mehrabad International Airport, 23 Zabol Airport, Zahedan International Airport, and 24 25 Zanjan Airport.

| 1 | "(5) Iranian state-owned enterprises, including |
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| 2 | the Iran Airports Company, which is the holding and |
| 3 | operating company for civilian airports in Iran, re- |
| 4 | portedly facilitate Mahan Air's operations. |
| 5 | "(b) Report.— |
| 6 | "(1) In general.—Not later than 90 days |
| 7 | after the date of the enactment of this section, the |
| 8 | President shall transmit to the appropriate congres- |
| 9 | sional committees a report on any activities of Ira- |
| 10 | nian state-owned enterprises that violate Executive |
| 11 | Order 13224. |
| 12 | "(2) FORM.—The determination required by |
| 13 | paragraph (1) shall be submitted in unclassified |
| 14 | form but may contain a classified annex.". |
| 15 | (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of contents |
| 16 | for the Iran Threat Reduction and Syria Human Rights |
| 17 | Act of 2012, as amended by section 2 of this Act, is fur- |
| 18 | ther amended by inserting after the item relating to sec- |
| 19 | tion 314 the following: |
| | "Sec. 315. Application of sanctions regarding Mahan Air.". |
| 20 | SEC. 6. STATEMENT OF POLICY ON PREVENTION OF ACCES- |
| 21 | SION OF IRAN TO WORLD TRADE ORGANIZA- |
| 22 | TION. |
| 23 | (a) In General.—It shall be the policy of the United |
| 24 | States to work to prevent Iran's membership in the World |
| 25 | Trade Organization and similar international bodies until |

| 1 | the date on which the determination of the Secretary of |
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| 2 | State that the Government of Iran has repeatedly provided |
| 3 | support for acts of international terrorism under the pro- |
| 4 | visions of law described in subsection (b) is rescinded. |
| 5 | (b) Provisions of Law Described.—The provi- |
| 6 | sions of law described in this subsection are— |
| 7 | (1) section 6(j) of the Export Administration |
| 8 | Act of 1979 (as continued in effect pursuant to the |
| 9 | International Emergency Economic Powers Act); |
| 10 | (2) section 40 of the Arms Export Control Act; |
| 11 | (3) section 620A of the Foreign Assistance Act |
| 12 | of 1961; or |
| 13 | (4) any other provision of law. |